



OMAHA SYMPHONY'S ADVENTURES IN MUSIC!

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SCHOOL BUS FOR THE ARTS!

The Nebraska Arts Council's *School Bus for the Arts* program provides grants of up to \$500 to Nebraska preK – 12 schools to help underwrite the cost of busing and admission fees for arts events. Visit www.nebraskaartscouncil.org and look for *School Bus for the Arts* or call 1-800-341-4067 for details.

Application Deadline: 4 weeks prior to your concert event.



MIDDLE - HIGH SCHOOL

MUSIC MENTORS

MAXIMIZE YOUR STUDENTS' POTENTIAL!

With the help of 40 professional musicians, this program creates a learning environment not found in any traditional classroom. Music Mentors encourages ensemble growth and inspires individual passion for music through a focused side-by-side event for high school and middle school orchestras and wind ensembles.

**National Standards
for Music Education:
2, 5, 6, 7**

CARNEGIE HALL'S COMMUNITIES LINKUP!

4TH - 6TH GRADE

RECORDER-BASED PROGRAM

THE ORCHESTRA SINGS!

March 30, 2011 | 9:45 & 11:15 a.m.
Holland Performing Arts Center
\$5.00 per student

The Omaha Symphony is proud to partner with Carnegie Hall to present Communities LinkUP! With a new and streamlined curriculum, participating classrooms will explore melody through work on soprano recorder and voice, creative work in improvisation and composition, and critical listening. With instruments in hand, students will apply their skills as they take center stage and play with the Omaha Symphony at the culminating concert!

National Standards for Music Education:
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Highlights of The Orchestra Sings!

- More "recorder basics" in the printed guide!
- Defined "pathways for success" & concert preparation!
- Repertoire includes Beethoven's Ode to Joy, Copland's "I Bought Me a Cat," themes from Dvorak's New World Symphony, and more!

Teacher Training: Participating schools will be asked to attend a teacher training session where they will learn about adapting the Carnegie curriculum to fit their classroom needs. This teacher training will take place on Tuesday, October 12, 2010, at Catlin Elementary School from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Registration: Registrations for LinkUP! are taken on a first come, first served basis beginning Friday, September 10, 2010. Registration forms can be downloaded from our Web site at omahasymphony.org.



MISSION: IMAGINATION!

AGE 4 - 3RD GRADE

\$3.00 per student,
teacher, or chaperone

THE MELODIOUS MISADVENTURES OF MELVIN THE EXPLORER!



Melvin, the explorer, is on a quest to recover an ancient musical artifact—but he can't do it without help! With the orchestra and the audience leading the way, Melvin will navigate through treacherous terrain, work to solve mysterious riddles, and uncover the truth of melody, harmony, and rhythm! In this exciting select-a-quest adventure, your students will take the lead as they sing, play, and learn their way through this dramatic concert experience.

National Standards for Music Education: 1, 6, 9

CONCERTS AT 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.

January 14, 2011

St. Wenceslaus School, 15353 Pacific St.

March 16, 2011

Jewish Community Center, 333 S. 132nd St.

January 28, 2011

Westside Community Center, 3534 S. 108th St.

April 19, 2011

Sts. Peter & Paul School, 3619 "X" St.

February 1, 2011

St. Philip Neri School, 8202 North 31st Ave.

April 20, 2011

Queen of Apostles, 3304 4th Ave., Council Bluffs

February 2, 2011

First United Methodist Church, 7020 Cass St.

May 10, 2011

Trinity Church-Learning Center, 15555 W. Dodge Rd.

March 8, 2011

St. Mary's School, 903 Mission Ave., Bellevue

CONCERTS AT 1:00 & 2:00 p.m.

January 28, 2011

Westside Community Center, 3534 S. 108th St.

May 10, 2011

Trinity Church-Learning Center, 15555 W. Dodge Rd.



MUSIC ALIVE

A PARTNERSHIP WITH NEBRASKA SHAKESPEARE

MIDDLE - HIGH SCHOOL

ROMEO, JULIET, & PROKOFIEV

January 26, 2011 | 9:30 & 11:15 a.m.

Holland Performing Arts Center

\$5 per student/teacher/chaperone

Music Alive is an ideal opportunity for your students to immerse themselves in the tragic love story of *Romeo & Juliet* through the skill of Nebraska Shakespeare's actors and the dramatic music of Sergei Prokofiev's ballet.

National Standards for Education:

Music: 6, 7, 8, 9; Theatre: 6, 7; English Language Arts: 1, 3

MARGRE DURHAM CONCERTS FOR YOUTH

4TH - 6TH GRADE

COMMUNITY PRIDE: A MUSICAL LOOK AT COOPERATION, COMMUNICATION & CONVICTION

February 23, 24 & 25 | 9:45 & 11:10 a.m.

Holland Performing Arts Center

\$3.50 per student/teacher/chaperone

Omaha Symphony Music Director Thomas Wilkins invites you to join him for an investigation and exploration of what makes your community unique. Known across the nation for his ability to engage and educate students, Maestro Wilkins's concert experience is one you don't want to miss!

National Standards
for Music Education:
6, 7, 8, 9

CELEBRATE CREATIVITY

A PARTNERSHIP WITH JOSLYN ART MUSEUM

MIDDLE - HIGH SCHOOL

November 2, 4, 5, 2010 - Middle School
November 3, 2010 - High School
Joslyn Art Museum
\$14 per student

This day-of-the-arts event allows your students to discover their inner artist through hands-on workshops in music, visual art, theater, dance, photography, and the martial arts. Following morning workshops, students join the Omaha Symphony for "Beginnings," a live concert that explores the creative process.

National Standards for Music Education: 6, 7, 8, 9



Schedule of Events

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Workshops & Joslyn Tour
Lunch
Omaha Symphony Concert

CHORAL COLLABORATIVE

HIGH SCHOOL

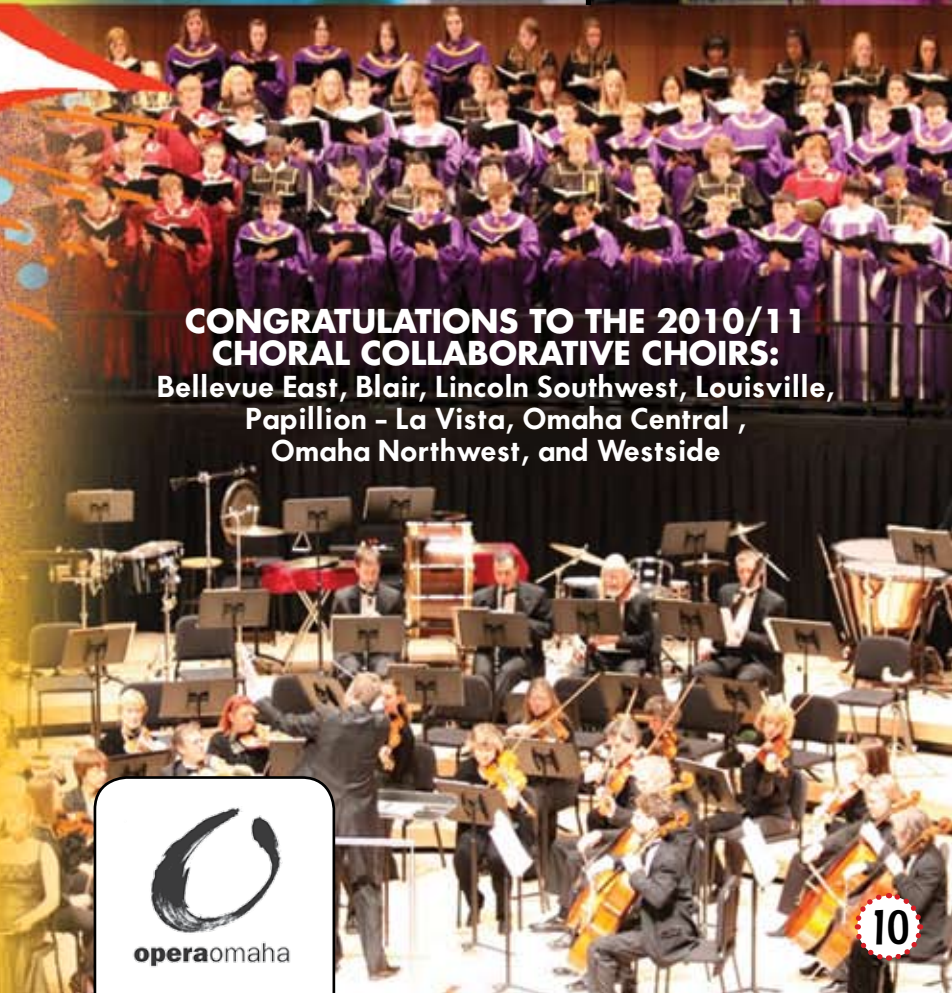
A PARTNERSHIP WITH OPERA OMAHA

November 14, 2010 | 7:00 p.m.
Holland Performing Arts Center

Choral Collaborative provides opportunities for high school choirs to perform large symphonic and operatic works with the Omaha Symphony and Opera Omaha guest soloists. Working towards a formal performance through individual and combined rehearsals, students are granted unparalleled experiences and access to the world of professional arts.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2010/11 CHORAL COLLABORATIVE CHOIRS:

Bellevue East, Blair, Lincoln Southwest, Louisville,
Papillion - La Vista, Omaha Central,
Omaha Northwest, and Westside



NEW!

CLASSROOM CRESCENDOS

K- 6TH GRADE

REACHING BEYOND THE WALLS OF THE CONCERT HALL!

Classroom Crescendos brings the live concert experience to your school. Newly designed with exciting repertoire and themes that allow cross-curriculum connections, these programs allow your entire student body to experience the best the Omaha Symphony has to offer — all from the classroom. Interactive by design and presented by members of the Omaha Symphony, these programs are sure to be a hit at your school!

The Classroom Crescendo experience starts at \$200 per performance. (Additional charges may apply for schools outside the Omaha/Council Bluffs Metro area.)

**Call now to book your experience!
(402.342.3836 x107)**

CLASSROOM CRESCENDO THEMES:

AMERICAN TRADITIONS: Focusing on American music, this concert experience highlights the cultural traditions of our nation and explores the origins of some of our best loved music. Presented by the Omaha Symphony Brass Quintet.

AROUND THE WORLD: A program of exploration and discovery, students will find themselves whisked around the globe to thrilling and exotic locations by the power of music. Presented by the Fontenelle String Quartet.

EVERYONE IS DIFFERENT: Based on the concept of diversity, this program is presented by an eclectic group of instruments. Using a varied repertoire and rhythms from around the world, this ensemble celebrates the differences that make us unique while illustrating the skills necessary to work together. Presented by the Omaha Symphony Trio.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN! SPEAK! Just how do we communicate? Through the art of making music, this program explores the basic skills of communication and how music can be a vehicle for expression. Presented by the Omaha Symphony String Quartet.

IT'S WHAT MAKES YOU, YOU! What is that special something that makes each of us an individual? An engaging concert experience that uses the uniqueness of the instruments and the exploration of musical styles to illustrate and demonstrate individuality, this program works to inspire self-expression and creativity in your students. Presented by the Omaha Symphony Woodwind Quintet.

CHOOSE YOUR ADVENTURE!

CREATE YOUR OWN UNIQUE EVENT!

Activities may include but are certainly not limited to:

- Artist "Meet & Greets"
- Tours of the Holland Performing Arts Center
- Open rehearsals
- Job shadow/careers in the arts opportunities
- Omaha Symphony musicians visit the classroom

HAVE A GREAT EDUCATION PROGRAM IDEA?

WE WANT TO HEAR ABOUT IT!

**Contact us at
education@omahasymphony.org**

REGISTRATION FORM

Contact: _____

School Name: _____

District: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Percentage of Free and Reduced Lunch Students at Your School _____



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Will you be applying to the Nebraska Arts Council for a *School Bus for the Arts* grant? YES NO

Program: _____

Date - 1st Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____

Time - 1st Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____

of Students: _____ # of Adults: _____

of Buses _____ Grade/age of students attending _____

We have the following special needs or handicap requirements: _____

Please place your order via mail, e-mail, or fax.

Mail: Omaha Symphony Education Program Registration
1605 Howard St. | Omaha, NE 68102

Fax: 402.342.3819

E-mail: education@omahasymphony.org
402.342.3836 x107 (Inquiries only please)

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